SUBJECT No. 521.

Raising the weir of the Nagalapura tank.

Mr. M. Krishna Iyengar Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—It is suggested that the Nagalapura tank in the Mayisandra Sammath may be improved by raising its kodi.

Reply of Government.—The raiyats state that they will actually improve the tank. The Deputy Commissioner may investigate.

SUBJECT No. 522.

A separate Tank Inspector to Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Mr. M. Krishna Iyengar, Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—As the Dabbeghatta Sammath has also been attached to Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, the number of tanks to be looked after is large. At present there is only one Tank Inspector for this Sub-Taluk and the Tiptur Taluk. It is suggested that a separate Tank Inspector for the Sub-Taluk may be sanctioned.

Reply of Government.—The Chief Engineer will be asked to consider this carefully. Increase of establishments is one of the matters which require scrutiny.

SUBJECT No. 523.

Construction of Darogara Ane.

Mr. M. Krishna Iyengar, Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Petitions to the Revenue and the Public Works Department authorities for the construction of the Darogara ane of Mayisandra have not been favourably viewed and the ane has not been restored. The construction of this ane will store the tail water of Mayisandra tank for irrigating lands below it. Orders are requested in the matter.

Reply of Government.—Noted.

SUBJECT No. 524.

The opening of a Dispensary at Kodigenahalli.

Mr. Puttahariappa, Maddagiri Tk.

Summary of discussion.—As Maddagiri is at a distance of sixteen or twenty miles from Kodigenahalli, a Local Fund Dispensary may be ordered to be established there for affording medical relief to surrounding villages.

Reply of Government.—Will be considered when funds permit.

SUBJECT No. 525.

The opening of a road from Hindupur to Maddagiri and the construction of a musafirkhana at Kodigenahalli.

Mr. Puttahariappa, Maddagiri Tk.

Summary of discussion.—The subject of laying out a road from Maddagiri to Hindupur and the construction of a musafirkhana at Kodigenahalli was pressed for consideration last year. The Deputy Commissioner has not taken steps to execute these works. If necessary, a toll may be levied on carts to meet the cost required for laying out the road.

Reply of Government.—The suggestion of tolls for carts is a good one, and may be considered by the District Board.

SUBJECT No. 526.

Constitution of the Turuvekere Taluk.

Mr. V. Naranappa, Tumkur District Board.

Summary of discussion.—In the recent introduction of the Shekdari scheme, the Dabbegatta Sammath has also been attached to Turuvekere Sub-Taluk and there are 155 villages with a revenue of Rs. 90,000 in the Sub-Taluk. It is prayed that the Sub-Taluk may be constituted as a pakka taluk. If that is not possible, it is suggested that an

addition of a couple of gumastas to the existing establishment will materially tend to the prompt despatch of Government work.

Reply of Government.—Nothing seems necessary now.

SUBJECT No. 527.

Repairs to the Maidala tank feeder channels.

Messrs. Timme Gowda and Davuth Khan, Tumkur Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—The subject of repairing feeder channels to Maidala tank was represented last year. It is again requested that Government may undertake the work without levying any contribution from the raiyats.

Reply of Government.—The question will be referred to the Public Works Department for investigation and report early. This is a standing grievance in the Tumkur District which should soon be remedied. The Chief Engineer was also asked to submit a note last year on the subject.

SUBJECT No. 528.

Repairing Cholenahalli tank.

Mr. Srikantaiya, Maddagiri Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—Execution of repairs to Cholenahalli tank in the Maddagiri Taluk urged in last year's Assembly, has not been taken on hand as yet. Lands of Hariharkoppa, Cholenahalli, Guruvaderahalli, Maddagiri, Kambatnahalli and Karmardi, amounting in all to nearly 300 acres of dry land, may be converted into wet if the tank is improved; the feeder channel also is in disrepair.

Reply of Government.—A report will be called for from the Chief Engineer.

SUBJECT No. 529.

Raising the weir of Sulekere tank.

Mr. Narsappa, Tumkur District Board.

Summary of discussion.—The Sulekere tank does not store sufficient quantity of water to irrigate all lands below it. Orders are requested to raise its weir.

Reply of Government.—The Chief Engineer will be asked to consider this proposal.

SUBJECT No. 530.

Improvement of the Ayannana Naikankere.

Mr. Krishna Iyengar, Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Summary of discussion.—The waste weir and the sluice of Ayannana Naikankere in Dodda Beerankere village, Mayisandra Sammath, are out of repairs. This is a big tank, and if restored it will bring a greater area under cultivation.

Reply of Government.—Public Works Department will be asked to investigate.

SUBJECT No. 531.

Appointment of Nala manegars to big tanks.

Mr. Hucheere Gowda, Gubbi Tk.

Summary of discussion.—States that the appointment of a Nala manegar will be a source of vexation to raiyats, and requests that the village officials may be entrusted with the work of water-supply.

Reply of Government.—Noted. Every local circumstance will be dealt with as required.